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IRIS GARDEN

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FOREWORD



For the past six years I have been engaged in the pleasant pastime of collecting and breeding iris. I have brought together a collection of varieties and species of merit. This collection does not run into an enormous number of varieties, but every one in it is well worth growing. Particular attention is called to the wild forms and species of both the bearded and beardless sections. It has been my aim to bring together as many wild forms of iris as can be grown in my garden, and I have been collecting them from all over the world. In this little catalog I am offering the surplus of this collection in order that the flower loving friends might share with me the joy and pleasure of growing them in their own gardens. The Southern California climate insures healthy and vigorous plants, and large, well cured rhizomes.

THE CULTURE of iris is extremely simple. They are divided into two cultural classes; the bearded and bulbous species in one group, and the beardless species in another. The bearded section does best when planted in an open and sunny location having good drainage, and kept rather dry after the blooming season. They will thrive and bloom best when fertilized with lime of some sort, bonemeal, or tankage. Never use fresh manure for them. They should be lifted and divided once every four or five years.

The beardless section on the other hand, can be grown successfully in partial shade. They require a moist soil free from lime. They may be fertilized with barnyard manure and leafmold.

DELIVERY of the beardless section is best made in the Fall, but the bearded varieties can be delivered on the west coast at any time of the year, and to the eastern states between June and October. Shipments are made by parcel post prepaid, and when possible within two days after the receipt of the order.

PRICES quoted are for strong single rhizomes which should send up one flower stalk the first blooming season. The size of the rhizome varies with the different varieties, and the season. Six plants will be sent for the price of five single plants, and twelve will be sent for the price of nine single plants. Please note that our stock is free from iris borer and rot. Plants sent out are guaranteed to be true to name, but in case of a mistake I will either replace it with the true variety or refund the amount paid for it.

TERMS are cash with order. No mail order accepted for less than \$1.00. With orders amounting to ten dollars or more, you may select extra plants to the amount of ten per cent of the order.

RATINGS after the names are those given by the American Iris Society, 100 being the standard of perfection. The name and date following the variety name indicates the name of the originator and the date of introduction. In the descriptions (S) designates the "Standard" or the three upright segments of the flower, and (F) designates the "Falls" or the three lower segments.

WILD TYPES OF TALL BEARDED IRIS

- ALBICANS. 72. A lovely pure white iris from Arabia. An extremely early bloomer. 25c.
- AMAS. 75. A large flowered blue and violet germanica from the town of Amasia, Asia Minor. 25c.
- CRETAN. 78. A dark blue-crimson form from the Isle of Crete. Very brilliant color. \$1.00.
- CYPRIANA. 81. A tall growing iris of lavender-violet and hyacinth violet flowers from Cyprus. \$1.00.
- FORENTINA ALBA. 76. Huge bluish white fragrant flowers. This and the following variety are the chief source of the Orris root of commerce. Italy. 25c.
- FLORENTINA BLUE. A violet and purple form from Italy. 25c.
- FONTARABIE. 71. From Asia Minor. S. violet-blue, F. rich violet-purple with lighter margin. 25c.
- KASHMIRIANA. 82. White, slightly washed lavender. From Kashmir, India. 50c.
- KHARPUT. 74. A violet and violet-purple flowered germanica from Kharput, Asia Minor. 25c.
- KOCHI. 80. A grand purple iris from Italy. Nearly everblooming in California. 25c.
- MANDRALISCAE. 72. A beautifully rich lavender-purple iris. From southern Tyrol. 25c.
- MESAPOTAMICA. 73. An enormous blue bicolor from Mesopotamia. The parent of most of the modern large flowered tall irises. 75c.
- PALLIDA. Tall light lavender. Huge blue-green foliage. From Tyrol. 25c.
- PALLIDA DALMATICA. Like Pallida but larger and darker in color. From Dalmatia. 25c.
- RICARDI. 72. Similar to Mesapotamica but with narrower segments and stronger stem. Palestine. \$1.50.
- SIVAS. S. violet blue, F. darker. The standards fall outward, giving the effect of a Japanese iris. From Asia Minor. 25c.
- TROJANA. 77. Light violet-blue with a bronze undertone. From Western Asia. \$1.00.
- TROSUPERBA. 78. A taller and beautiful form of the above. \$1.00.
- VARIEGATA. S. yellow, F. red on yellow ground. Southern Europe. \$3.00.
- VIOLACEA GEANDIFLORA. 76. (1856) Amethyst violet. Tall. 25c.

Collection Offer

One each of the above 20 wild species and varieties amounting to \$12.75 will be sent postpaid prepaid for \$10.00.

GARDEN VARIETIES OF TALL BEARDED IRIS

- AFTERGLOW. 82. (Sturt. 1917) Misty lavender lit with yellow at the center. 3 ft. 50c.
- ALCAZAR. 87. (Vilm. 1910). A stately and fine iris. Large flowers of lavender and reddish purple. 25c.
- AMBASSADEUR. 91. (Vilm. 1920.) Purple and velvety maroon. Late. 50c.
- ANN LELIE. 74. (Sturt. 1918.) S. white, faintly flushed rose; F. dahlia carmine. 35c.
- ARCHEVEQUE. 81. (Vilm. 1911.) Two shades of reddish purple. Strikingly beautiful and nearly everblooming in California. 25c.

- ARGYNNIS. 83. (Wmsn. 1925.) S. brilliant yellow;; F. velvety brown. Very attractive. \$1.00.
- ARIEL. (Murrell.) Lovely pale blue of refined bearing. \$1.50.
- ARNOLS. 78. (Barr, 1874.) Clouded red-purple with yellow blending. Garden effect is brown. 25c.
- ASIA. 88. (Yeld, 1920.) Large soft lavender flowers with yellow undertone. Late. \$2.50.
- BALLERINE. 89. (Vilm. 1920.) Large pale lavender flowers on 42-inch stems. Universally admired. 75c.
- BARRELANE. 76. (Sturt. 1920.) Large lavender-violet flowers. 50c.
- BLACK PRINCE. 72. (Perry, 1900.) Famous for the velvety blue-purple of the falls. 50c.
- CAMELEON. (Lemon.) Charmingly bright blue flowers. 25c.
- CANDELABRE. (Vilm.) Unique flowers of white and blue purple. 35c.
- CANOPUS. 83. (Bliss, 1921.) Tall bronzy bicolor of Dominion race. \$1.50.
- CAPRICE. 72. (Vilm. 1904.) A brilliant garden variety. S. phlox purple; F. deeper. 25c.
- CATERINA. 83. (Foster. 1909.) A grand light blue iris, particularly suited to California climate. 25c.
- CHALICE. 82. (Sturt., 1924.) A beautiful soft yellow. \$1.50.
- CHASSEUR. 85. (Vilm. 1923.) One of the finest yellows. Large flowers on 33-inch stem. Late blooming. \$2.00.
- CITRONELLA. 85. (Bliss, 1922.) S. bright clear yellow; F. Red brown edged yellow. This variety attracted more attention than any other iris in my garden during the blooming season. \$2.50.
- CLUNY. 80. (Vilm., 1920.) Soft lilac blue. 25c.
- COMTESSE DE COURCY. White, heavily veined and dotted with light lavender-violet. A beautiful plicata. 25c.
- CONQUISTADOR. 83. (Mohr., 1923.) Huge light lavender flowers on five foot stems. \$1.00.
- CORDON BLEU. 75. (Sturt., 1921.) A small flowered blue variety. 25c.
- CORRIDA. 84. (Mil., 1914.) Delightful aniline blue. Very effective when massed. 25c.
- CRIMSON KING. 83. (Before 1894.) Large rich claret purple flowers. Everblooming in California. 25c.
- CRUSADER. 85. (Foster, 1913.) S. light blue; F. deep violet blue. A fine iris when well grown. 25c.
- DALMARIUS. 74. (G. & K., 1907.) Satiny gray and lilac with silvery sheen. 25c.
- DAMOZEL. 82. (Mor., 1922.) A beautifully ruffled plicata of Parisiana type but more refined. \$2.00.
- DEJAH. (Perry.) Very tall hybrid pallida. \$1.00.
- DELICATISSIMA. 80. (Mil., 1914.) Large delicate lilac flowers on three-foot stem. 75c.
- DEMI-DEUIL. (Denis.) Veined and dotted brownish purple on light ground. A very odd iris. 25c.
- DR. BERNICE. 73. Coppery bronz and velvety crimson. 25c.
- DORA LANGDON. 78. (Bliss, 1918.) A beautiful blend of buff and magenta. 50c.
- DREAM. 84. (Sturt., 1918.) A beautiful lilac shade. One of the best of its color. 35c.
- DU GUESCLIN. 77. (Bliss, 1921.) S. lavender;

- F. velvety violet, edged lighter. 75c.
- EDOUARD MICHEL. 81. (Ver., 1904.) Intense reddish purple with ruffled edges. 25c.
- E. H. JENKINS. 81. (Bliss, 1919.) Beautiful pallida of steel-blue shade. 50c.
- ELDORADO. 76. (Vilm., 1910.) A striking blend of bronze, heliotrope and violet purple. An inspiring color combination. 25c.
- ELIZABETH. A heavily shaded plicata. General effect in the garden is light lavender. 25c.
- EMBER. 84. (Sturt., 1924.) Beautiful violet-red flowers on tall graceful stalks. \$3.00.
- EVADNE. 87. (Bliss, 1921.) A wonderful rose-red color. \$3.00.
- FAIRY. 78. (Ken., 1905.) White, delicately frilled pale blue. One of the smallest flowered but very pretty. 25c.
- FIRMAMENT. (Groschner.) An intermediate in two shades of lavender. 50c.
- GAVIOTA. 82. (Mohr., 1924.) Creamy white plicata, edged with yellow. 75c.
- GEORGIA. 83. (Farr, 1920.) Medium shade of soft rose. 35c.
- GOLD CREST. 76. (Dykes, 1914.) Bright violet, golden beard. 50c.
- GLOIRE DE HILLIGOM. 67. (Ruys, 19—.) Cheerful light blue. 35c.
- HARPALION. 77. (Perry, 1923.) Large light lavender flowers of beautiful shape. \$2.00.
- HELGE. 76. An early yellow. 2 ft. 25c.
- HER MAJESTY. 74. (Perry, 1903.) The most popular "pink." 25c.
- HERMOSA. (Dean.) Bright mathews purple with yellow glow in the center. 25c.
- HORIZON. (Mor. Sturt., 1925.) Clear light blue flowers on tall stems. A masterpiece. \$3.50.
- ISOLINE. 84. (Vilm., 1904.) Pastel shades of old rose and light bronze. Deservedly popular. 35c.
- IVORINE. (Cap.) Beautiful cream toned intermediate. 25c.
- JAQUESIANA. 78. (Lemon, 1840.) Coppery crimson and rich maroon. Has withstood the test of time. 25c.
- J. B. DUMAS. 78. (Den., 1917.) A Ricardi hybrid of large size and rosy lavender color on tall stems. \$1.00.
- J. J. DEAN. 76. (Dean, 1922.) Large blue-purple. 75c.
- JUNIATA. 81. (Farr, 1909.) Clear blue. Large and fragrant. 25c.
- KALOS. 77. (Sass-Craw, 1924.) S. white, slightly washed lavender; F. white peppered, flushed and penciled soft rose. \$1.00.
- KASHMIR WHITE. 82. (Foster, 1913.) A glorious pure white. One of the best. 50c.
- LADY FOSTER. 82. (Foster, 1913.) A handsome big lavender flower. 50c.
- LA NEIGE. 78. (Verd., 1912.) A lovely creamy white. 50c.
- LENT A. WILLIAMSON. 88 (Wmsn: 1918.) Large rich purple with bronze shadings. The most popular iris. 35c.
- LEONIDAS. 70. (Barr, 1908.) Soft lavender-gray and rosy mauve. 25c.
- LEVERRIER. 82. (Den., 1917.) One of the finest. Tall and impressive. Chinese violet and rich pansy violet on 50-inch stems. \$1.00.
- LORD OF JUNE. 78. (Yeld., 1911.) Massive flowers of lavender-blue and violet-blue. 50c.

- LOHENGRIN. 79. (G. & K., 1910.) Chinese violet, white haft and yellow beard. Beautifully waved petals. 25c.
- LORELEY. 78. (G. & K., 1909). S. yellow; F. purple, bordered yellow. 25c.
- LUTESCENS MAJOR. (Dean.) Color identical with its seed parent—Statellae—but larger flowered and three feet high. Very fragrant. 25c.
- MADY CARRIER. 80. (Mil., 1905.) Metallic blue overlaid fawn. A lovely pastel shade. 25c.
- MAGNIFICA. 85. (Vilm., 1920). Brilliant crimson tone, delicious fragrance, tall stem, massive size and perfect form makes this an outstanding iris. \$1.00.
- MAJESTIC. 87. (Bliss, 1923.) Indescribably beautiful and showy. S. light mauve to blue, bronzed at base; F. rich velvety raisin purple. \$5.00.
- MA MIE. 80. (Cay., 1906.) White, penciled violet, with violet styles. 25c.
- MARGERY. 79. (Dean, 1922.) S. light wistaria violet; F. Bradley's violet. Huge flowers on tall stems. \$3.00.
- MARJORIE TINLEY. 81. (Perry, 1922.) S. soft lavender-blue overlaid yellow; F. dark mauve. Very large. \$3.00.
- MARY GIBSON. 85. (Perry, 1922.) A beautiful combination of old rose and bronze. \$3.00.
- MAUVINE. 72. (Dean, 1919.) An extremely free blooming mauve self. 25c.
- MEDRANO. 87. (Vilm., 1920.) A deep maroon; darker than Opera. 75c.
- MIRANDA. 77. (Hort., 1919.) Clear violet-blue self. Exquisite. 50c.
- MLLE. SCHWARTZ. 84. (Den., 1916.) Palest mauve. Very effective. 50c.
- MME. BOULLET. 73. (Den., 1917.) A yellow plicata, similar to Mme. Chobaut. 35c.
- MME. CHEREAU. 70. (Lemon, 1844.) White, frilled violet on the edges. 25c.
- MME. CHERI. 83. (Sturt., 1918.) Ageratum violet, washed pink with a yellow understone. One of my favorites. 50c.
- MME. CHOBOUT. 80. (Den., 1916.) A yellow and purple plicata. Fine for cutting. 25c.
- MME. CLAUD MONET. 79. (Den., 1912.) Large dark purple. Very striking. 75c.
- MME. DURRAND. 89. (Den., 1912.) An iridescent tan and lilac blend. A really fine variety. \$2.00.
- MME. GUERVILLE. Palest violet, heavily dotted and penciled purple. 25c.
- MONSIGNOR. 77. (Vilm., 1907. Satiny violet and rich velvety purple. 25c.
- MOTHER OF PEARL. 84. (Sturt., 1917.) The name well describes the color. One of the most popular. 50c.
- MRS. ALAN GRAY. 74. (Foster, 1909.) Soft lavender-pink. 25c.
- MRS. CUTHBERTSON. (Perry.) A beautiful blend of pink, crimson and apricot. One of the outstanding varieties in my garden. \$3.00.
- MRS. FRYER. 77. (Fryer, 1917.) S. white, shaded heliotrope; F. purple crimson with lighter border. \$1.50.
- MRS. HETTY MATTISON. 80. (Perry, 1923.) S. purple-fawn shot with bronze; F. rich crimson purple. \$1.50.
- MRS. NEUBRONNER. 69. (Ware.) Bright yellow. 25c.

- MT. PENN. 79. (Farr, 1909.) S. soft lavender; F. crimson-lilac. 25c.
- NANCY ORNE. 81. (Sturt., 1921.) Similar to but pinker than Mme. Cheri. 50c.
- NAVAJO. 71. (Farr, 1913.) A maroon variegata. 35c.
- NIBELUNGEN. 65. (G. & K., 1910.) S. olive buff; F. violet-purple. 35c.
- NUEE D'ORAGE. 72. (Verd., 1905.) Slate blue, shaded bronze. 25c.
- OCHRACEA. 82. (Den., 1919.) Old gold, flushed violet. \$1.00.
- OPERA. 83. (Vilm., 1916.) A charming red-purple. The most popular "red". 50c.
- OPORTO. 75. (Yeld, 1911.) Deep pansy violet. Effective when massed. 25c.
- ORIFLAME. 77. (Vilm., 1904.) Blue-purple flowers of huge dimensions and very free flowering. 25c.
- PANCROFT. 69. (Mil., 1909.) Ivory yellow, slightly flushed amber and lavender. 25c.
- PARISIANA. 74. (Vilm., 1910.) White, heavily lined and dotted lilac. A very beautiful variety. 25c.
- PERFECTION. 79. (Barr, 1880.) S. lavender; F. blackish purple. 25c.
- PRINCESS BEATRICE. 90. (Barr.) A selected form of Pallida Dalmatica. Considered nearest perfection. 75c.
- PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. 74. (G. & K., 1910.) Sulphur yellow and plum. 25c.
- PROSPER LAUGIER. 84. (Verd., 1914.) Rich mahogany and pink tones. 25c.
- QUAKER LADY. 75. (Farr, 1909.) Ageratum violet and pink, overlaid yellow. 25c.
- QUEEN ALEXANDRIA. 75. (Barr.) Purplish lilac and violet with a sheen of yellow. 25c.
- QUEEN OF MAY. 74. (Sal., 1859.) Soft rosy violet. Very good garden variety. 25c.
- RAFFET. 74. (Vilm., 1920.) A uniform dark purple. 35c.
- RIALGAR. 82. (Sturt., 1924.) A very effective yellow and brown variety. \$3.00.
- RED CLOUD. 75. (Farr, 1913.) S. rosy lavender; F. maroon-crimson, reticulated yellow. 25c.
- REGAN. 79. (Hort, 1920.) A large and handsome purple iris. \$1.00.
- RHODA. 67. (Yeld.) Delicate shade of clear lavender. 25c.
- ROMEO. 68. (Lemon, 1840.) Showy little variegata. Yellow, violet and lilac. 35c.
- ROSE UNIQUE. 69. (Farr, 1910.) A decided "rose." Early. 35c.
- ROSEWAY. 78. (Bliss, 1919.) Deep rose-pink. Tall. 35c.
- SAN GABRIEL. 84. (Dean, 1921.) Without doubt the tallest and the best iris for Southern California. Rosy mauve. I have seen this variety grow to 67 inches. \$1.50.
- SANTA MONICA. (Dean.) Tall grower and attractive. Large and free flowering. Blue and violet. 50c.
- SARABENDE. 73. (Sturt., 1918.) S. cream washed pink; F. blue, violet with a fawn border. 50c.
- SHEKINAH. 84. (Sturt., 1918.) Tall yellow. Considered to be the standard yellow iris. 50c.
- SHERBERT. 62. (Sturt., 1918.) Old gold and brown. 50c.

- SHERWYN-WRIGHT. 76. (Koh., 1915). A very bright late yellow. 25c.
- SOLIDAD. 92. (Mohr., 1922.) An early blooming yellow of real merit. Fine form and texture. 25c.
- SOUV. DE. MME. GAUDICHAU. 88. (Mil., 1914.) A large dark velvety bicolor. Very bold and striking. 50c.
- SUSAN BLISS. 86. (Bliss, 1922.) A very beautiful pinkish lilac iris of real merit. \$1.50.
- SWEET LAVENDER. 87. (Bliss, 1919.) A pretty lavender of distinct form. 50c.
- TAMAR. 74. (Bliss, 1920.) Red-lilac of pleasing habit. 4 ft. 50c.
- TENEBRAE. 88. (Bliss, 1922.) A dominion seedling of rich dark coloring. Always attractive. \$2.50.
- THELMA PERRY. 67. (Perry, 1913.) A cengialti hybrid. Pale lilac with bronze reticulations. \$1.00.
- TRUE CHARM. 78. (Sturt., 1920.) White with styles and frill blue-lavender. \$2.00.
- TROOST. 79. (Den., 1908.) One of the best penciled pinks. Large flowers on 2 ft. stems. 25c.
- TUNISIE. 66. (Mil., 1911.) Smoky lavender blend. 75c.
- WALHALLA. 73. (G. & K.) Blue and purple. Strong flower. 2ft. 25c.
- WEDGEWOOD. 87. (Dykes, 1923.) A beautiful clear blue. \$3.00.
- WHITE QUEEN. 81. (Gay., 1918.) A very lovely small white. 35c.
- WILD ROSE. 80. (Sturt., 1921.) Charming light rose colored flowers. \$1.00.
- WINDHAM. 71. (Farr, 1919.) Soft lavender pink, veined darker. 35c.
- WYOMISSING. 72. (Farr, 1919.) Similar to Windham, but more creamy. 25c.
- YELLOW MOON. 85. (Sturt., 1923.) Light yellow. \$2.00.
- YVONNE PELLETIER. 81. (Mil., 1916.) Sky-blue with prominent yellow beard. \$1.00.
- ZOUAVE. 76. (Vilm., 1922.) Exquisite lilac plicata. Distinctly marked and colored. 75c.
- ZUA. 74. (Craw., 1914.) A sport of Florentena with crinkeles petals. 75c.

DWARF BEARDED IRIS

This group of iris are the first to bloom in the spring. They are extremely hardy and easy to grow, requiring the same treatment as the tall bearded iris, except that they should be divided every other year. They grow from four to ten inches high, and are excellent subjects for the front of the border and the rock garden.

- ALBA. Popular early white. Very fragrant. 6 inches. 25c.
- BLUEBEARD. (Perry, 1903.) A fragrant dwarf of unique coloring. Crinkled golden yellow with purple streaks. 25c.
- CYANEA. (G. & K., 1899.) Rich crimson purple, large and fragrant. 25c.
- EBURNEA. 76. (G. & K., 1899.) Attractive cream colored dwarf. 6 in. 25c.
- EXCELSA. 77. (G. & K., 1899.) A cheerful little purple flower on 4 in. stem. 25c.
- NUDICAULIS. A splendid dwarf with wine colored flowers. 8 in. 25c.
- ORANGE QUEEN. (Perry.) A deep yellow 6 in.

- high. Large flowers. 25c.
 SCHNEEKUPPE. 77. (G. & K., 1910.) White
 10 in. 25c.
 SOCRATES. 81. Reddish purple with yellow
 beard. 25c.
 STATELLAE. 76. (Wild.) Refined and fragrant
 ivory flowers on 10 in. stems. 25c.

Collection Offer

One each of the above ten dwarf varieties amounting to \$2.50 will be sent postpaid for \$2.00. Three of each for \$5.00.

POGOCYCLUS IRIS

This type is the result of crossing the bearded iris with the Oncocyclus and Regelia sections. They are hardy and easy to grow. They require a well drained sunny position and like lime in the soil. If you have never grown these hybrids you have a pleasant surprise in store.

- CARMELO. 82. (Mohr, 1923.) Narrow flowers of an unusual shade of blue. 50c.
 DORAK. 88. (Foster, 1909.) One of the best of the group. Large flowers on 30 inch stems. S. clear light violet, F. purple-violet. \$2.00.
 GIRAN. 86. (Foster, 1913.) Wine colored flowers with beautiful veining on 24-inch stems. \$1.50.
 HAMADAN. 75. (Foster, 1909.) Flowers of uniform rich violet, bronze styles and black beard. 18 in. \$1.50.
 IB-MACRANTHA. (Van T.) Enormous rounded flowers of lavender and red-purple bicolor. \$5.00.
 IB-PALL. (Foster.) 81. Large purple veined flowers on 24 in. stem. \$1.50.
 KOROLKOWI X PUMILA. (Foster.) An unnamed dwarf of merit. Long and narrow flowers of yellow with purple streaks. Grassy foliage. \$1.50.
 LADY LILFORD. 82. (Foster, 1916.) Enormous dark purple flowers on 2 ft. stem. Darkest of the class and latest to bloom. \$1.50.
 PARACINA. 68. (Foster, 1901.) A blackish purple odd iris. 8 in. \$1.50.
 PARSAM. 71. (Foster, 1905.) Similar to paracina, but larger. \$1.50.
 PARVAR. 77. (Foster, 1909.) Black-violet with velvety sheen. 20 in. \$1.50.
 ZWANNENBERG. 80. (Denis, 1909.) Odd golden brown and golden yellow flower with purple streaks. 25c.

Collection Offer

On each of the above 12 varieties amounting to \$19.75 will be mailed prepaid for \$15.00. This really is a wonderful collection for anyone that appreciates the rare flowers.

SIBERIAN AND ORIENTALIS IRIS

These two classes are closely related and for garden purposes are identical. The Orientalis has larger flowers than Siberica, but most of the modern Sibericas are hybrids between the two. They are of easy culture, doing best in a moist, lime free soil. They are excellent for cutting and to plant beside pools.

BLUE KING. A deep blue-purple iris collected

- from Japan. 35c.
EMPEROR. Deep viol-blue *Orientalis* from Japan. \$1.00.
KINGFISHER BLUE. (Wallace, 1924.) A seedling of Perry's Blue, but larger and of a lighter blue. \$2.00.
PERRY'S BLUE. The most popular blue *Siberica*. 50c.
SNOW QUEEN. A beautiful white form of *Orientalis*. 50c.

SPURIA

- These are tall growing, beardless irises that are very stately garden plants, forming huge clumps five feet high if left undisturbed. They are gaining popularity in the cut flower market.
AUREA. Clear deep yellow. \$1.00.
MONSPUR. A cross between *Monnieri* and *Spuria*. Very lovely blue-purple flowers. \$1.00.
OCHROLEUCA. A majestic iris from Asia Minor. Large ivory white flowers with yellow blotch in the center of the falls. 50c.

EVANSIA

- This group has lovely orchid-like flowers that have a crest on the center of the falls instead of beard. Does best in partial shade.
JAPONICA. This has light green drooping foliage and pretty fringed flowers of light lavender on 18 in. stems, and though the individual flowers last only a short time, there are so many of them that the season lasts for over a month. 35c.
TECTORUM. The roof iris of Japan. Large blue-purple flowers, falls spotted darker. Conspicuous white crest. 50c.

MISCELLANEOUS VARIETIES AND SPECIES

- DICHOTOMA.** This single representative of the *Pardanthopsis* section blooms in August. The flowers vary from white through browns to purple. Seedling stock only. 50c.
DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON. A cross between *Foliosa* and *Fulva*. A beardless of great merit, having large flowers of a rich velvety royal purple, and the plants thriving even under adverse conditions. 75c.
FOETIDISSIMA. This iris has insignificant flowers, but in the fall the seed pods burst open exposing bright scarlet seeds. Ornamental foliage and will grow in shade. 35c.
FULVA. A native of the Mississippi Valley. The flowers are unique in that they have a brick-red color. The only really red iris. 75c.
HISTRIOIDES. A bulbous iris of the *Reticulata* section. Flowers are six inches high, blooming in January in California. The color is a bright blue-purple with yellow ridge in the center of the falls. \$1.00.
HISTRIO. Another *Reticulata* of a charming blue color with a yellow ridge. \$1.00.
PSEUDACORUS GIGANTEA. An English beardless species, with rich yellow flowers on tall stems. Although it grows naturally in swamps, it will do well either in the ordinary garden, or in a few inches of water. Excellent for planting in lily ponds and beside pools. \$1.00.
STOLONIFERA. A *Regelia* iris with a lovely bronze and electric blue flower, with either a bright blue or yellow beard. \$2.50.

- STYLOSA ALBA.** (Unguicularis.) A winter blooming species, excellent for cutting. White, yellow blotch in the center of the falls. 35c.
- STYLOSA MARGINATA.** A lilac form of the above. 25c.
- SUSIANA.** (Oncocyclus.) The mourning iris. A single huge rounded flower on a 15 in. stem early in the spring. Thickly spotted and penciled black on a gray ground. \$1.50.
- TINGITANA WEDGEWOOD.** A robust growing bulbous iris of the Xiphium section. Large violet-blue flowers of leathery substance on 30 in. stems. \$1.00.
- TUBEROSA.** (Hermodactylus tuberosus.) The bulbs resemble a bird's foot, and the flowers are green and dark velvety purple. Really a novel sight. \$2.00.
- VARTANI.** Another bulbous iris of the Reticulata section with a pretty sky-blue flower. \$1.00.

BEARDLESS IRIS COLLECTION

SIBERICA BLUE KING.....	.35
ORIENTALIS SNOW QUEEN .....	.50
SPURIA OCHROLEUCA .....	.50
EVANSIA JAPONICA .....	.35
STYLOSA MARGINATA .....	.25
PSEUDACORUS GIGANTIA .....	.50
FOETIDISSIMA .....	.35
DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON.....	.75

On each of the above eight varieties, worth \$3.55, sent postage prepaid for \$2.75, two each for \$5.00.

SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFERS

Collection (A)

On each of thirty 25c varieties, separately labeled. Valued at \$7.50. Collection price, \$5.00, delivered.

Collection (B)

On each of thirty varieties, my choice, labeled, valued at \$7.50, collection price \$3.50 delivered.

Type Collection

This collection will include one each of the different types or classes represented in this catalogue, and is an ideal collection for those that want to study iris from a scientific point of view.

AMAS. (Pogeniris) .....	.25
STATELLAE. (Dwarf) .....	.25
ZWANNENBERG. (Pogocyclus) .....	.25
EMPEROR. (Orientalis)	1.00
OCHROLEUCA. (Spuria) .....	.50
DICHOTOMA. (Parnanthopsis) .....	.50
JAPONICA. (Evansia) .....	.35
FOETIDISSIMA .....	.35
DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON. (Apagon).....	.75
VARTANI. (Reticulata)	1.00
PSEUDACORUS GIGANTEA	1.00
STYLOSA MARGINATA .....	.25
CAJANUS. (Xiphium) .....	.10

\$6.55

Separately labeled and delivered for \$5.00.

Color Range Collection

This collection includes a fair range of typical colors found in the tall bearded class. Each variety separately labeled.

ALBICANS .....	.25
COMTESSE D'COURCY .....	.25
CORRIDA .....	.25
CRIMSON KING .....	.25
DALMARIUS .....	.25
EDOUARD MICHEL .....	.25
FONTARABIE .....	.25
HELGE .....	.25
ISOLINE .....	.35
LOHENGRIN .....	.25
LORELEY .....	.25
MAUVINE .....	.25
MME. BOULLET .....	.25
OPORTO .....	.25
PALLIDA .....	.25
PARISIANA .....	.25
QUAKER LADY .....	.25
QUEEN OF MAY .....	.25
WYOMISSING .....	.25
LEONIDAS .....	.25

5.10

Delivered for \$2.50.

For those who want a lot of color in the garden but do not care for labels, I will send a grand mixture of named varieties at \$8.00 per 100. Express collect.

I also have a limited amount of selected seedlings with a wide range of color at \$5.00 per 100. Express collect.

OTHER PLANTS OF INTEREST

- BLETILLA HYACINTHINA.** A Chinese terrestrial orchid that grows and prospers under the same treatment as the beardless iris. For delivery when the bulbs are dormant in the winter. \$3.00.
- MORAEA IRIDOIDES.** An iris-like plant of easiest culture in California with stiff grassy leaves and flower stalks three feet high. The flower stalks are perennial and the flowers are produced from them throughout the year. Waxy white flowers with yellow beard and lavender styles. \$1.00.
- DWARF MORAEA.** This grows a foot high with prostrate habit, with the same color as the Iridoides, but has no beard. \$1.00.
- MORAEA BICOLOR.** In growing habit same as Iridoides, with a rounded flower of bright yellow, blotched purple in the center of the falls. \$3.00.
- MORAEA GLAUCOPIS.** Iris Pannonia or the Peacock iris. A bulbous iris like plant having rounded violet flowers with a peacock blue blotch in the haft of the falls. 50c.
- IRIS SISYRANCHIUM.** A bulbous iris of the Gynandris section. Fugitive lilac flowers that last only a few hours in the afternoon, but has a long blooming season. 25c.
- SISYRANCHIUM BELLUM.** This is the grass-iris of the Pacific Coast, which forms neat clumps during the blooming season with innumerable flowers of various shades of blue and violet. 35c.
- MEXICAN TREE DAHLIA.** A gigantic dahlia growing to 15 ft. high and covered in the fall with innumerable large lilac-pink single flowers. Stem cuttings 50c, tubers \$2.00.